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James A. BOLTON, Jr., et al.

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(1) Introductory Comments

Reconsideration and allowance of claims 1-6, all of the claims pending in this application, are respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.

No claims are added or canceled by this paper.

A restriction requirement was made and is traversed, with a provisional election of the claim of Group I, namely, claims 1 -3 drawn to a wood graining method.